# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# COMMUNICATIONS
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1295
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POST OFFICES IN VILLAGES IN MAHARASHTRA
ASHOK NAMDEORAO MOHOL

**Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government have received any proposal to open new post offices in villages in Maharashtra especially in Pomgaon;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the progress made so far in this regard; and

(d) the time by which the post offices are likely to be opened especially at Pomgaon?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS

(SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)
(a) Yes Sir,
(b) 42 proposals for opening of Extra Deptt. Branch Post Offices and 49 proposals for opening of Deptt. Sub Post Offices have been received for the Maharashtra Circle as a whole and 1 proposal has been received for Pomgaon,Tal.Mulshi, District. Pune.
(c) &(d): the opening of post offices is dependent upon fulfillment of departmental norms and sanctioning of the required number of posts by the Ministry of finance. In case of Pomgaon, the proposal received was examined and found not justified as per departmental norms.